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December 10, 1988

Chief, Site Investigation and Compliance Branch Emergency and Remedial Response Division U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 26 Federal Plaza New York, New York 10278

Attention: SCP - Carlstadt Project Officer

Dear Sir:

Attached is the November 1988 Progress Report for the RI/FS project at the SCP Carlstadt site. This report has been prepared by Dames & Moore, on behalf of the Committee representing the Respondents named in the Administrative Order on Consent No. II CERCLA-50114, in accordance with Paragraph 28B of the Order.

Very truly yours,

DAMES & MOORE

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ATTACHMENT 1

SCP RI/FS PROGRESS REPORT NOVEMBER, 1988

PROGRESS AND STATUS

- 1. Reauthorization for access to Gotham Industrial Park was finalized by November 30. However, the issue of unsigned well permit applications for the Gotham wells and the Sports Complex well is still unresolved.
- 2. Authorization for the covering of Tank T-5 was received by Dames & Moore. This work will be accomplished in early December. Dames & Moore is arranging for Clean Venture of Perth Amboy, New Jersey, to perform this work.

TECHNICAL ISSUES

None

SCHEDULE

The implementation of POP Revision Nos. 8 and 9 will commence approximately two weeks after receipt of USEPA's approval (expected shortly), contingent upon the resolution of the well permit issue.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES - DECEMBER 1988

- 1. Continue efforts to resolve the well permit application issue.
- 2. Begin the field program for the off-site wells.